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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This responds to the Office action dated January 4, 2007. A three-month period for response was set, making this response due on or before April 4, 2007. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 6 and end with a brief **Conclusion** on page 13.